IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF HAWAII

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,) CR NO. 05-00260 JMS
v.) DECLARATION OF COUNSEL
JAMES LOW (1),)
Defendant.)
))

DECLARATION OF COUNSEL

- I, MICHAEL J. PARK, state under penalty of perjury of law that the following is true and correct:
- I, along with Matt Horn are co-counsel representing Defendant James Low in this matter.
- 2. That prior January 24, 2006, ASUA Mark Inciong and co-counsel stipulated and agreed to continue trial from February 22, 2006 to May 2, 2006 pending approval of the Court pursuant to the Speedy Trial Act, 18 U.S.C. Sec. 3161.
- 3. That Defendant James Low's fiancé is ill and needs assistance and she is currently residing with Mr. Low's mother, who is providing some care and comfort.

- That Defendant Low requests pretrial release to assist in the care and support 4. of his fiancé.
- 5. That Defendant Low wants the opportunity to demonstrate and establish his ability to refrain from any use and possession of illicit drugs by entering into a substance abuse treatment program as deemed necessary based on a court approved assessment. (i.e. release to enter into Hina Mauka, or Salvation Army, ATS drug treatment program on Oahu, if deemed necessary.)
- 6. That Defendant Low was found not be a flight risk at his prior detention hearing.
- 7. That this incentive to prepare for return into community as a responsible adult will compel Defendant to be compliant with all laws and thereby reasonably assure the safety of the community.
- That Defendant's mother is a viable third party custodian and she is willing 8. to co-sign a note or provide a bond.
- 9. Defendant respectfully requests that this court conduct a detention hearing to reconsider Defendant's release status.

I DECLARE UNDER PENALTY OF LAW THAT THE FORGOING IS TRUE AND CORRECT.

DATED: Honolulu, Hawaii, January 24, 2006.